

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN  
DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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**Manoucheka Francois,**

**Plaintiff,**

**--against--**

**Metro-North Commuter Railroad,**

**Defendant.**  
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**ANDREW L. CARTER, JR., District Judge:**

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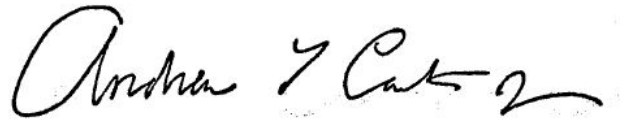
**ORDER DENYING PRE-  
MOTION CONFERENCE  
REQUEST**

The Court is in receipt of Defendant's pre-motion conference letter in connection with its anticipated summary judgment motion and Plaintiff's response. ECF Nos. 49, 51. Upon review of the submissions, Defendant's request for a pre-motion conference is hereby **DENIED**. However, leave to file the summary judgment motion is hereby **GRANTED**. The Parties are directed to confer and submit a joint status report proposing a briefing schedule no later than **January 6, 2022**. The status report shall also include an update on whether Third-Party Defendant Hudson Valley Transportation intends to move for summary judgment on the third party complaint.

**SO ORDERED.**

**Dated:** Dec. 29, 2021

**New York, New York**



**ANDREW L. CARTER, JR.**  
**United States District Judge**